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TITLE:

METHODS AND COMPOSITIONS FOR ASSESSING CHROMOSOME COPY NUMBER

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Title: METHODS AND COMPOSITIONS FOR ASSESSING

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Sir:

Applicant hereby petitions the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks to accept the color drawing as Fig. 4 in the above-referenced application. Applicant requests favorable consideration of this petition.

Applicant submits herewith under 37 C.F.R. § 1.84(2): (i) the fee as set forth in § 1.17(h), (ii) three (3) sets of color drawings and (iii) one (1) black and white photocopy accurately depicting, to the extent possible, the subject matter as shown in the color figures. The specification of the above-referenced application contains the appropriate text as set forth in 37 C.F.R. § 1.84(2)(iv).

The color drawings are necessary in the present application because color is required to accurately represent, for example, the different chromosomes of a cell. These figures were thus the only practical medium by which to disclose the subject matter sought to be patented in the above-referenced application.

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